



OPENING EDITORIAL

Friends & Colleagues in Ministry, we hope you are doing well and that the winter blues are not getting you down.

We are looking forward to our upcoming **Virtual #OneTeam Advisory Summit**, February 26-28, 2022. We anticipate a great time together and we want to make sure you get registered at www.OneTeamPlaybook.org for an interactive online experience. For our Opening Session on Sabbath evening, we have invited a few guests who you will not want to miss out on. Frank Warren will be with us from www.PostSecret.com and we don't want you to

miss his presentation! Jake Mulder from [Fuller Youth Institute](#) will speak on fresh developments in youth and young adult discipleship. And, Sergio Cano will present on the creative arts and communication. Be sure and get registered today.

In addition, we have made plans for an in-person **NAD Youth & Young Adult Directors & Associate Directors Retreat**, March 2-3, 2022 in Columbia, MD. This retreat will focus on the unique complex ministry of being a youth director (YD) in the NAD. There will be much intentional peer-mentoring among us as we go out each day on excursions around the Baltimore/Washington DC area. [Click here](#) to register by February 15 to participate. [View Planning Info & Preliminary Schedule](#).

There is much information below. If you have any questions on anything do not hesitate to write an email or call us.

Blessings,

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The graphic features a green header bar with the text "ONE TEAM" in large, bold, black letters. To the right of the text is a small logo for "NORTH AMERICAN YOUTH" with a stylized "NY" symbol. Below the header bar is a teal rounded rectangle containing the text "--- VIRTUAL SUMMIT" in bold black letters and "NAD Advisory 2022" in a lighter teal font. To the left of the teal rectangle is a vertical column of colorful, overlapping, rounded rectangular shapes in shades of teal, red, yellow, and dark blue.

It has been a long time coming but we have finally concluded that our **NAD OneTeam Advisory Summit** will be fully virtual this year. We were looking forward to meeting in-person in Dallas but with the responses from our preliminary survey, and the concerns of many who could not make the trip, we have made the decision to host them virtually. We are excited to announce that our upcoming 2022 NAD OneTeam Advisory Summit will be hosted on our www.OneTeamPlaybook.org website. [Click here to view Planning Info & Preliminary Schedule!](#)

DATES: Sabbath, Feb 26 – Monday, Feb 28, 2022

TIMES: Sabbath 5:00 pm – Monday 9:00 pm

PLACE: Virtually on www.OneTeamPlaybook.org

Club Ministries – Primarily we have moved all of our Club Ministries advisories to Sunday so that many of our lay-leaders who must work weekdays can still participate without having to take worktime off. We value their participation and involvement and look forward to our time together.

Youth & Young Adult Ministries – These will be hosted on Monday along with our PCM and Summer Camp Ministries.

PCM & Summer Camp Ministries – We have included our summer camp staff to join us for the first time in many years. We will be doing a combined gathering intended to build collaboration between ACF students on public university campuses and summer camp directors.

Advisory registration will begin on Wednesday, February 8 at 3:00 pm, Eastern Time on the www.OneTeamPlaybook.org website.

2022 NAD OneTeam Advisory

Updates from Club Ministries



Adventurer Club

Adventurer Day is coming up soon! For those of you who don't know what is this about, please [take a look at this link here](#) for resources and information from the General Conference Youth department.

We are also excited about the **Adventurer Bible Game** and many conferences are asking for information and resources. Take a look at this amazing opportunity to study the Bible with Adventurers in a

fun and engaging way by [clicking here](#).

Pathfinder Club

Pathfinder Bible Experience is on full swing in many conferences around North America!!! We are looking forward to many of those Pathfinders and leaders reaching Division level and meeting in Eugene Oregon on **April 22 - 23, 2022**. For information about Division level PBE, [take a look at our announcement here](#).



There are also a **few camporees** coming up for the Columbia Union, Lake Union, North Pacific Union, Southern Union and Pacific Union!! Check out dates on the [calendar of events](#).



Master Guides

Master Guide Convention Update: Due to logistical challenges, the NAD Youth department has elected to move the date for our Master Guide Convention from May to **August 3-6, 2022**. Registration will start at the end of March. We appreciate your patience and wish to share with you soon all the pertaining information.

Master Guide Outdoors Rocky Mountain Expedition Update: After 3 years of waiting, there are plans to actually have this amazing expedition. Our dates for our expedition will be **August 1-3, 2022** in Estes Park, CO. Please check this link for more detailed information:

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Momentum Youth Church & Youth Sabbath School for the year new theme is '**All The Way Up!**' Let heaven fill your thoughts; don't spend your time worrying about things down here. Colossians 3:2 (TLB)

We welcome Dr. David McKenzie and the Atlantic Union of Conferences for the Month of February. The conferences that will lead Momentum Youth Church & Youth Sabbath School are as follows:

Feb. 5, 2022—Bermuda Conference of Seventh-day Adventist

Feb. 12, 2022—Southern New England Conference of Seventh-day Adventist

Feb. 26, 2022—New York Conference of Seventh-day Adventist



SAVE THE DATES

Mar 14-18, 2022 --- NAD Student Week of Prayer

NAD Student Week of Prayer will be exciting this year. We will provide the sermons for the week so each church can conduct their own youth week of prayer emphasis. Stay tuned for the link to download these powerful messages, so that students can share them with their church. Our theme is **“ALL THE WAY UP!”**

August 11-14, 2022 --- Back to School Youth Congress

The Back to School Youth Congress is for 7th graders through high school graduates. In addition, we are excited to welcome our collegiate students to this awesome virtual experience. The Congress is **FREE! FREE! FREE!** You will have to register to connect. *SAVE THE DATE - August 11-14, 2022*, on your calendar.

We will host over 50 seminars, have unique virtual round table discussions, spirit filled singing and heart warming messages. You don't want to miss this Virtual Experience as we together go **“ALL THE WAY UP”**.

Join us weekly for Momentum Youth Church & Youth Sabbath School on Facebook and YouTube at 9:30 am, EST—11:00am. www.youtube.com/c/NADYouthMinistries.

Global Youth Day - March 19, 2022



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Global Youth Day will be a virtual event for the NAD Youth Ministries department. The theme this year is "**LOVING THE FORGOTTEN**". We will be airing live at 8:30 pm EST for this event. We are asking all conferences to send high quality videos to vandeongriffin@nadadventist.org by way of WeTransfer.com. We will need said videos by 3:00 pm EST. The North American Division will host a 30-minute segment during Global Youth Day from 8:30-9:00 pm EST on March 19, 2022.

SAVE THE DATE

ACF Institute and PCM Conference

A vibrant promotional graphic for the Adventist Christian Fellowship Institute 2022. The background features a collage of photos: a group of people outdoors, a close-up of a person's face, and a group of people holding "LET'S TALK" signs. The graphic is overlaid with large, colorful geometric shapes in shades of orange, red, and teal. In the top left corner is the Adventist Christian Fellowship logo. The main text reads "ADVENTIST CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP INSTITUTE 2022" with "INSTITUTE" in large yellow letters and "2022" in white. Below this, "JULY 26-30" is written in white on a yellow background. In the bottom left, it says "FOR STUDENTS BY STUDENTS" in white and teal. On the right side, "INDIANA UNIVERSITY" is written in large teal letters with a location pin icon, followed by "IN BLOOMINGTON" in white on a yellow background and "WWW.ACFLINK.ORG" in teal on a white background.

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The ACF Institute (Adventist Christian Fellowship Institute) & PCM Conference (Public Campus Ministers Conference) will happen simultaneously at the same location from **July 26-30, 2022.**

PURPOSE

A gathering for Adventist Christian Fellowship Student Leaders and Public Campus Ministers for networking and leader-training from an on-campus student perspective.

ATTENDEES

All ACF student-leaders, campus chaplains and pastors, conference and union youth & young adult ministries directors, and any leaders desiring to learn about ministry with and for college students on public campuses.

REGISTRATION

Go to www.aCFLink.org for registering on the dates listed below:

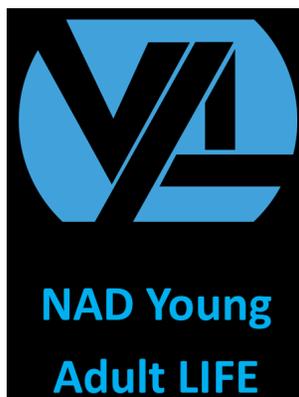
---> ***In-person Pre-registration***, \$25 per person – March 1-May 31, 2022
(includes dorm lodging, meals & resources)

---> ***In-person Reg-registration***, \$100 per person – June 1-July 15, 2022
(includes dorm lodging, meals, & resources)

---> ***Virtual Registration***, Free – March 1-July 30, 2022

Hope to see you at ACFI & PCMC this July!

NAD Young Adult LIFE



We have a **NAD Young Adult Core Team** that is made up of our nine Young Adult Ministries Union Reps and some Young Adult Pastors. We meet once a month to give shape, direction, and support to young adult ministries throughout the NAD. From our February 9 zoom meeting, below are some of the topics we addressed and planned for.

1. #GYA (Growing Young Adventists)

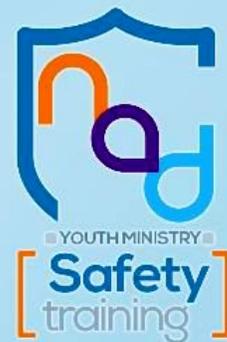
The Growing Together Cohort Update – The 2022 Cohort was launched this week. There are 39 churches involved in the year-long cohort learning journey from many conferences around the NAD. For more info, go to www.GrowingTogetherCohort.com or www.GrowingYoungAdventists.org

2. NAD CALLED Convention Planning

The www.nadPastorsConvention.com is coming June 19-22, 2022. We will have 5 ministry booths at the convention: NAD Club Ministries, NAD Youth Ministries, NAD Young Adult Ministries, NAD Public Campus Ministries, and Growing Young Adventists. We are developing our booth staff teams and are needing youth and young adult ministry professionals who plan to attend the Called Convention to contact us.

3. NAD Young Pastors Network Update

We are developing a **NAD-wide “Young Pastors” network**. So far we have about 130 pastors who are either youth pastors by title, young adult pastors by title, or pastors who are young adults. If you have pastors in your conference who may be interested in being involved with the NAD Young Pastors Network, have them send TracyWood@nadAdventist.org an email specifying their conference, name, ministry position, cell, and email. We will include them in our quarterly email communication. Any questions, let Tracy Wood know.



PLANNING SAFE MISSION TRIPS FOR YOUR CHURCH

For all the positives that mission trips offer your conference, school, or church, there is a lot of risk involved. Combine international travel, remote locations, limited access to healthcare, and individuals with little to no experience with construction, and you have a recipe for a potentially dangerous situation.

Planning safe mission trips is essential to making these opportunities a positive, life-changing experience for everyone involved. ARM offers several resources on planning mission trips, including a checklist so you can make sure you don't forget anything.

[Click here for full article](#)

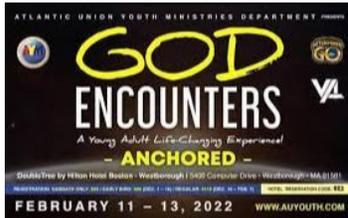
NAD VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES



The **NAD Office of Volunteer Ministries** is looking for volunteers who are baptized church members between the ages of 18-79 for their long-term and short-term mission projects.

[Click here](#) for details!

EVENTS AROUND THE DIVISION



Atlantic Union God Encounters

DATES: February 11-13, 2022

LOCATION: Virtual

[Click here](#) to register for free!



Columbia Union Pathfinder Camporee

DATES: August 10-14, 2022

LOCATION: Summit Bechtel Reserve, Glen Jean, West Virginia

Visit <https://www.cucamporee.com/> for information and registration.



Lake Union Pathfinder Camporee

DATES: September 15-18, 2022

LOCATION: Berrien County Youth Fairgrounds, Berrien Springs, Michigan

Visit <https://luc.camporee.org/> for information and registration.

2022 CALENDAR OF EVENTS



[Click here](#) to access and download the 2022 NAD Youth and Young Adult Ministries Calendar of Events.



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